FOURTH DAY—*14th October 1924.*

INTERPELLATIONS.

BY MR. KARNICK KRISHNAMURTHI RAO, (Magadi Taluk).

Q.—1. *Re* appointments given to the non-brahmin communities in accordance with the Miller Committee Report, will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) How many members of each community other than the Brahmin Community were in Government employment before the publication of the Miller Committee Report?

(*b*) The number of each community who have since been appointed?

(*c*) The total number of each community now comprising the Gazetted and Non-Gazetted ranks of the State Service?

THE CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.—

A.—1. (*a*) Information as to the composition of offices by communities, before the publication of the report of the Miller Committee in 1921 is not available.

A statement showing the number of members of each community in the year 1918 which was furnished in the report of the Miller Committee is placed on the table. (*Vide* Appendix I).

(*b*) A statement as regards Non-Gazetted Officers is placed on the table. (*Vide* Appendix II). Information as regards Gazetted Officers is being compiled and will be furnished to the member.

(*c*) Information is being collected and will be furnished to the member.

Supplementary Questions.

Mr. Karnick Krishnamurti Rao.

With reference to appendix II, how many applications were received from non-brahmins and how many of them got appointments?

Chief Secretary.

I want notice as information has to be collected.

Mr. Karnick Krishnamurti Rao.

In appendix II, the number of Europeans and Anglo-Indians is left out. I want to know the reason why the column about Europeans and Anglo-Indians is left out.

Chief Secretary.

It means that no appointments were made. The statement was compiled from the information received from the Districts.

Mr. Sanjiviah.

The term " other castes " is mentioned in the statement. What are these castes?

Dewan.

This is not a supplementary question.

Mr. Mallappa.

What is the number of Brahmin candidates appointed?

Chief Secretary.

The original question refers to the number of appointments given to candidates other than Brahmins. Hence this question does not arise.

BY MR. B L. BYANNA,—(Bangalore City).

Q.—2. *Re* appointment of members of the Vokkaligara Community as Probationary Inspectors and Sub-Inspectors in the Police Department, will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) Were any Vokkaligars appointed to the Probationary Inspectors' and Sub-Inspectors' posts last year in the Police Department?

(*b*) If the answer to the above is in the negative, will the Government be pleased to encourage the qualified members of this community at least this year by appointing some of them for these offices?

SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT, LOCAL AND LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENTS.—

A.—2. (*a*) No.

The minimum qualification for a Probationary Inspector is the B.A. degree and as there was no application received